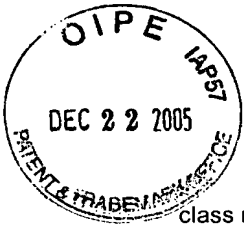
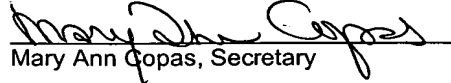


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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED 06/20/2005**

Dear Sirs:

In response to the outstanding Office Action, please consider the following in the above-identified application:

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.